

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 COME-00 STR-04 AGR-05 LAB-04  
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FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRD IN  
SUBJECT: GSP: TPSC REVIEW OF PRODUCTS FOR ADDITION

REF: STATE 287879

1. INDIAN GOVERNMENT HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO SUPPLY FIGURES AND  
ANALYSIS REQUESTED REFTEL. FOLLOWING REPRESENTS BEST DATA READILY  
AVAILABLE TO MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND EMBASSY.

2. (A) DOMESTIC PRODUCTION AND EXPOERS:

TSUS 141.75: 1975 EXPORTS TO US: \$76,000  
TSUS 403.60: 1975 EXPORTS TO US: \$567,000  
TSUS 152.05: IFY 1975-1976 EXPORTS TO US: \$16,000  
NO OTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

(B) AND (C) PRODUCTION CAPACITY: MINISTRY OF COMMERCE CLAIMS  
DOMESTIC PRODUCTION IN ALL THREE TSUS CATEGORIES. WITH REGARD TO  
403.60 MIN. COMMERCE STATES FURTHER "PRODUCTION IS BEING DEVELOPED".

(D) US SHARE OF EXPORTS:

TSUS 152.05: 36 PERCENT  
INDIAN TRADE NOMENCLATURE DOES NOT PERMIT TABULATION FOR OTHER  
TSUS CATEGORIES.

(E) AND (F) SHARE OF ITEMS IN TOTAL EXPORTS: SINCE INDIAN EXPORTS  
ARE EXPECTED TO REACH OVER \$5 BILLION IN INDIAN FISCAL YEAR ENDING  
MARCH 31, 1977, IT IS EVIDENT THAT ITEMS UNDER CONSIDERATION RE-  
PRESENT VERY SMALL ELEMENT IN OVERALL BALANCE OF TRADE. NONETHE-  
LESS, GOI HAS EMBARKED ON IMPORTANT EXPORT EXPANSION PROGRAM,

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AND THE SUCCESS OF THIS PROGRAM TO DATE HAS PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN

IMPROVEMENT OF OVERALL PROSPECTS OF ECONOMY.

3. AS FAR AS WE ARE AWARE THERE IS NO FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN INDIA  
IN THE PRODUCTION OF THESE PRODUCTS UNDER THESE THREE CATEGORIES.  
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